# IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT FOR THE WESTERN DISTRICT OF OKLAHOMA

MATTHEW COLWELL,

Plaintiff,

v.

RYAN WALTERS, in his individual capacity,

Case No. 5:23-cv-00476-G

and

MATT LANGSTON, in his individual capacity,

**Defendants** 

## WITNESS AND EXHIBIT LIST OF DEFENDANTS RYAN WALTERS AND MATT LANGSTON IN THEIR INDIVIDUAL CAPACITIES

In accordance with the Court's Scheduling Order, Defendants Ryan Walters, in his individual capacity, and Matt Langston, in his individual capacity, submit the following witness and exhibit lists. Discovery in this case is ongoing, and therefore this list is based upon present knowledge only. Additionally, Plaintiff has not yet filed a witness and exhibit list, as Plaintiff filed a motion to extend or strike all deadlines [Doc. 56]. In the event said motion is granted, Defendants reserve the right to supplement this Witness and Exhibit List.

### <u>WITNESSES</u>

WITNESS	EXPECTED TESTIMONY	
The following witnesses are expected to be called at trial in this matter.		
Ryan Walters	Expected to testify about all facts and	
c/o David R. Gleason, OBA No. 31066	circumstances alleged in the Complaint,	
MORICOLI KELLOGG & GLEASON, PC	the affirmative defenses contained in his	
One Leadership Square	Answer, and any matters which are	
211 North Robinson, Suite 1350	touched on in any deposition given by	
Oklahoma City, Oklahoma 73102	him. Specifically, Mr. Walters is	
Telephone: (405) 235-3357	expected to testify as to his knowledge	
Facsimile: (405) 232-6515	concerning the facts and circumstances	

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surrounding Plaintiff's termination from
the OSDE, any relevant policies,
customs, and practices, of the OSDE
related to Plaintiff's termination, and
Walters' financial condition as it relates
to Plaintiff's claim for punitive damages.
Expected to testify about all facts and
circumstances alleged in the Complaint,
the affirmative defenses contained in his
Answer, and any matters which are
touched on in any deposition given by
him. Specifically, Mr. Langston is
expected to testify as to his knowledge
(or lack thereof) concerning the facts and
circumstances surrounding Plaintiff's
termination from the OSDE, any relevant
policies, customs, and practices, of the
OSDE related to Plaintiff's termination,
and Langston's financial condition as it
relates to Plaintiff's claim for punitive
damages.
Expected to testify about all facts and
circumstances alleged in the Complaint
and any matters touched upon in his
deposition. Specifically, Mr. Colwell is
expected to testify concerning his claims
and alleged damages in this case, the facts
and circumstances surrounding his
termination from the OSDE, his
allegations that he provided OSDE
information to the office of the Oklahoma
Attorney General and an Oklahoma State
Representative, any relevant policies,
customs, and practices, of the OSDE
related to Plaintiff's termination.
Ms. Miller is expected to testify
concerning the facts and circumstances
of Plaintiff's termination from the OSDE,
including a meeting occurring on May
25, 2023, in which Plaintiff raised his
voice and cursed at Miller in anger, the
parties involved in the termination
decision, OSDE policies, practices,

Jamie Miles, OSDE 2500 N. Lincoln Blvd., OKC, OK 73105 405.521.3301	customs, and procedures relevant to Plaintiff's termination, disciplinary history of Plaintiff at OSDE, communications and documentation surrounding Plaintiff's termination. Additionally, Mr. Colwell has not yet been deposed and may testify on any matters touched on in his deposition.  Expected to testify concerning his observations of the meeting occurring on May 25, 2023, in which Plaintiff raised his voice and cursed at Miller in anger.
The following witnesses may be called at tria	al in this matter.
Oklahoma State Representative Andy Fugate 2300 N. Lincoln Blvd., Room 545 Oklahoma City, OK 73105 (405) 557-7370 Representatives of the Oklahoma Attorney General's Office. The identity of any such witness is unknown at this time.	Expected to testify concerning Plaintiff's allegations that he provided information and/or raised concerns to Mr. Fugate concerning OSDE operations and the timing of any alleged interactions.  Expected to testify concerning Plaintiff's allegation that he provided information and/or raised concerns to the Oklahoma Attorney General's office concerning OSDE operations and the timing of any alleged interactions.
Witnesses whose relevance is determined through the course of further discovery in this case the identity of whom is not currently known.  Any witnesses called by the Plaintiff.  Witnesses necessary for the purpose of authentication of documents, impeachment, or rebuttal.	

# **EXHIBIT LIST**

No.	Exhibit		
The fo	The following exhibits are expected to be used at trial.		
1	Termination Letter dated May 25, 2023.		
2	Contemporaneous statement of Susan Miller describing the incident with Plaintiff which led to his termination dated May 31, 2023.		
3	Plaintiff's W-2s from OSDE for 2022 and 2023, showing compensation Plaintiff was receiving at OSDE.		
4	Plaintiff's benefit records for OSDE for 2022 and 2023 showing the value of any benefits received by Plaintiff from OSDE.		
5	Plaintiff's pay and income records for any job held after his termination from the OSDE.		
6	Any document substantiating Plaintiff's allegation that he provided OSDE information to the Oklahoma AG's office or an Oklahoma State Representative, and the respective dates of any such occurrence.		
7	Plaintiff's interview with KFOR on or about June 7, 2023. https://kfor.com/news/local/dumpster-fire-frmr-osde-employee-wrongfully-terminated-for-voicing-concerns-over-teacher-bonuses/		
The fo	llowing exhibits may be used at trial.		
8	OSDE Employee Handbook, or excerpts thereof.		
9	Employee Handbook acknowledgement signed by Plaintiff on 1/18/22.		
10	Plaintiff's offer letter with OSDE dated 12/30/21.		
11	Loyalty Oath signed by Plaintiff dated 1/18/22.		
12	Any job description related to Plaintiff's position with the OSDE.		
13	Confidentiality agreement signed by Plaintiff with the OSDE dated 1/18/22.		
14	Any document which Plaintiff alleges to have shared with the Oklahoma AG's office and/or Representative Fugate.		
15	OSDE organizational charts.		
16	Email from Matt Langston to OSDE employees dated May 25, 2023, re "SDE Policy on Interaction with the Press – Termination."		
17	Any medical records produced by Plaintiff in the case evidencing his claimed emotional distress (or lack thereof).		

18	Exhibits to any deposition taken in this matter, not objected to by Defendants.
19	Exhibits affixed to any motion, not objected to by Defendants.
20	Documents used for impeachment to which Defendants do not object.
21	Portions of transcripts to which Defendants do not object.
22	Further documents identified through discovery.

Respectfully Submitted,

### /s/David R Gleason

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### **CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE**

I hereby certify that on April 18, 2025, I electronically filed the foregoing with the Clerk of the Court by using the CM/ECF system, which will send a notice of electronic filing to parties and attorneys who are filing users.

/s/David R. Gleason